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Applicant(s) : Hangauer et al.)
Serial No. : 09/482,585)
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Filed : January 13, 2000)
For : A NOVEL METHOD FOR DESIGNING)
PROTEIN KINASE INHIBITORS)

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AMENDMENT

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Dear Sir:

In response to the November 26, 2001, office action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 9-12, 21, and 23-69 and substitute pending claims 1-7, 13, 19, and 20 with amended claims 1-7, 13, 19, and 20 as follows:

1. (Amended) A method for identifying inhibitors of protein kinases comprising:
identifying at least one first module having one or more functional groups each capable of covalently or non-covalently binding to catalytic residues of the protein kinase;